

MISS SOUTHMAYD'S WILL THREATENED

Contest Seen in Hearing Before Surrogate as to Her Sanity.

Dr. Charles F. Collins of 320 Park avenue was examined in the Surrogate's Court yesterday by Attorneys Arthur S. Train and Charles A. Perkins as to the mental condition of Miss Emily F. Southmayd when she made a will disposing of more than \$1,500,000 to educational and charitable organizations and making minor bequests to several relatives. The examination is considered to be preliminary to a contest of

the will, based on the grounds that Miss Southmayd was mentally incompetent when she made the will.

Dr. Collins testified he had made more than a dozen professional calls on Miss Southmayd, but had noticed nothing unusual until late in 1920, when, he said, she showed signs of "mental eccentricity" and as a consequence was regarded as an undesirable guest at the hotel where she then was stopping. At the conclusion of Dr. Collins's testimony the hearing was adjourned.

Mr. Train and Mr. Perkins represented Samuel D. Southmayd of East Orange, N. J., and A. L. Livermore of 2 Rector street appeared for Julia and Meta Southmayd of East Orange, nephew and nieces of Miss Southmayd, who under will received only family heirlooms. Charles Griswold Mass of 445 West Twenty-first street, who received a legacy of \$10,000 under the will but which was revoked without comment in a subsequent codicil, was represented by J. Harry Hull of 37 Liberty street. Mass was not a relative of Miss South-

mayd. The interests of the beneficiaries under the will were looked after by Joseph H. Choate of Evans, Choate, Sherman & Leon.

Miss Southmayd, who was a sister of Charles F. Southmayd, law partner of the late Senator William M. Evans, bequeathed \$125,000 to Yale University and \$100,000 to the Bar Association. The will named also as beneficiaries in the sum of \$100,000, Grace Protestant Episcopal Church, Roosevelt Hospital, St. Luke's Hospital, the Society of New York Hospital and the Children's Aid Society, while \$50,000 each was left to the New York Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, the New York Association for the Blind, the Home for Incurables, the Home for Old Men and Aged Couples, the Samaritan Home for the Aged and the Cathedral of St. John the Divine. More than a dozen other charitable institutions, including the State Charities Aid Society, the New York Eye and Ear Infirmary, the Legal Aid Society and the Seaman's Church Institute received \$25,000 each.

HYLAN STOPS FIGHT ON MEYER PROBERS

Orders Heads of Departments to Cease Obstructing Efforts to Get Evidence.

Dissatisfaction and disgust on the part of Tammany members of the Mayor's legislative committee at the obstructive tactics adopted by Corporation Counsel O'Brien, on orders of Mayor Hylan, have led to a change of attitude on the part of the city administration. Senator Meyer was told yesterday it was the desire of the Mayor to co-operate in every possible way, that the

heads of every department had been instructed to permit examiners of the committee to have full access to records and files. In this way it will be possible for the committee to gather much of its material without the necessity of impounding large numbers of documents.

Mayor Hylan was told the attitude taken by him in fighting to keep the legislative committee from getting any information led the public to assume the administration had a great deal to conceal and was afraid of publicity. Such a stand would make it hard for the opposition members of the committee to offer valid objections that would stand. It was not, however, until several of the Mayor's advisers had urged him to change his tactics that the advice was followed.

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